House File 345 - Introduced

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BY LENSING

A BILL FOR

- 1 An Act relating to continuing education in vital statistics for
- 2 certain medical professionals.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

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- 1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 272C.2C Continuing education
- 2 requirements for certain health professionals vital
- 3 statistics.
- 4 The following licensing boards shall require the specified
- 5 licensees to complete at least one hour of continuing education
- 6 in vital statistics records prior to every renewal of the
- 7 professional's license:
- 8 l. The board of medicine, for persons licensed to practice
- 9 medicine and surgery or osteopathic medicine and surgery
- 10 pursuant to chapter 148.
- 11 2. The board of nursing, for a registered nurse or advanced
- 12 registered nurse practitioner licensed pursuant to chapter 152.
- 13 3. The board of physician assistants, for physician
- 14 assistants licensed pursuant to chapter 148C.
- 15 EXPLANATION
- 16 This bill requires the board of medicine, the board of
- 17 nursing, and the board of physician assistants to require
- 18 medical doctors, doctors of osteopathy, registered nurses,
- 19 advanced registered nurse practitioners, and physician
- 20 assistants to complete at least one hour of continuing
- 21 education in vital statistics records prior to each renewal of
- 22 the professional's license.